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Customer No. 22,852  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Thomas J. GRADDIS et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1647  
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Application No.: 09/904,536 ) Examiner: Lorraine Spector  
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Filed: July 16, 2001 )  
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For: METHODS OF USING MUTANT ) Confirmation No.: 3851  
FLT3-LIGAND POLYPEPTIDES )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to reply to the Office  
Action of September 24, 2004. A fee of \$450.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge  
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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